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HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. HB1005 - 1/29/97

Introduced by: Representatives Cutler, Broderick, Pederson (Gordon), and Schaunaman and Senators Drake and Dennert at the request of the Interim Central Assessed Property Committee

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain terms relating to true and full value.
- 2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 3 Section 1. That § 10-28-12 be amended to read as follows:
- 4 10-28-12. The secretary of revenue shall, in determining the true and full fair market value
- 5 of the property assessed by him, value all the property of any railroad company as a unit, but
- 6 shall make due allowance for any nonoperating property.
- 7 Section 2. That § 10-28-13 be amended to read as follows:
- 8 10-28-13. For the purpose of determining the true and full fair market value of the property
- 9 of any railroad company, the secretary of revenue shall take into consideration the cost approach,
- 10 the market approach, and the income approach to appraisal. In the market approach, the
- secretary shall consider the actual or market value of the shares of stock outstanding, the actual
- or market value of all bonds outstanding and all other indebtedness as shall may be applicable,
- for operating the road. In the income approach, the secretary may consider the company's growth
- rate and the rate of inflation in determining the capitalization rate. The secretary of revenue may

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take into consideration any other information or data of any kind or nature which he may deem

- 2 the secretary deems material in arriving at the true and full fair market value of the property.
- 3 Section 3. That § 10-29-9 be amended to read as follows:
- 4 10-29-9. In making such assessment, which shall be with is in reference to value and
- 5 ownership on February first of the year for which the assessment is made, the secretary of
- 6 revenue shall determine the true and full fair market value of that flight property actually
- 7 providing service in this state.
- 8 Section 4. That § 10-29-9.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 9 10-29-9.1. The flight property of an airline company that owns or leases aircraft the majority
- of which are turboprops and other propeller driven aircraft, and which provides, during six
- months or more of the year that the taxes are levied, scheduled passenger service to three or
- more airports inside or outside of this state that serve communities of one hundred thousand or
- less population, shall be assessed at fifty percent of its full and true fair market value as provided
- 14 in § 10-29-9.
- 15 Section 5. That § 10-33-14.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 16 10-33-14.1. For the purpose of determining the true and full fair market value of the property
- of any telephone company, the Department of Revenue shall take into consideration the cost
- approach, the market approach, and the income approach to appraisal. In the market approach,
- 19 the department shall consider the actual or market value of the shares of stock outstanding, the
- actual or market value of all bonds outstanding, and all other indebtedness as shall may be
- 21 applicable for operating the company. In the income approach, the department may consider the
- 22 company's growth rate and the rate of inflation in determining the capitalization rate. The
- 23 Department of Revenue may take into consideration any other information or data of any kind
- or nature which the department may deem material in arriving at the true and full fair market
- 25 value of the property.

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Section 6. That § 10-34-9 be amended to read as follows:

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- 2 10-34-9. The Department of Revenue shall carefully consider all reports and statements made
- as provided in §§ 10-34-3 and 10-34-4, all other facts and evidence collected or available and
- 4 any and all other matters necessary to enable the Department of Revenue to make a just and
- 5 equitable assessment of such property. The Department of Revenue may change the valuation
- 6 given by the telegraph company, or add any property omitted therefrom, and shall proceed to
- determine the true and full cash fair market value of the entire property of each of such telegraph
- 8 companies in this state, according to the rule set forth in § 10-34-10.
- 9 Section 7. That § 10-34-10.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 10 10-34-10.1. For the purpose of determining the true and full fair market value of the property
- of any telegraph company, the Department of Revenue shall take into consideration the cost
- approach, the market approach, and the income approach to appraisal. In the market approach,
- the department shall consider the actual or market value of the shares of stock outstanding, the
- actual or market value of all bonds outstanding, and all other indebtedness as shall may be
- applicable for operating the company. In the income approach, the department may consider the
- 16 company's growth rate and the rate of inflation in determining the capitalization rate.
- 17 The Department of Revenue may take into consideration any other information or data of
- any kind or nature which the department may deem material in arriving at the true and full fair
- market value of the property.
- 20 Section 8. That § 10-35-10.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 21 10-35-10.1. For the purpose of determining the true and full fair market value of the property
- of any public utility company, the Department of Revenue shall take into consideration the cost
- approach, the market approach, and the income approach to appraisal. In the market approach,
- 24 the department shall consider the actual or market value of the shares of stock outstanding, the
- actual or market value of all bonds outstanding, and all other indebtedness as shall may be

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1 applicable for operating the company. In the income approach, the department may consider the

2 company's growth rate and the rate of inflation in determining the capitalization rate. The

3 Department of Revenue may take into consideration any other information or data of any kind

or nature which the department may deem material in arriving at the true and full fair market

5 value of the property.

Section 9. That § 10-37-8 be amended to read as follows:

10-37-8. The property shall be valued at its true and full fair market value, and the assessment shall be made upon the true and full fair market value of the entire pipeline property within the state and shall include the rights-of-way, easements, the pipelines, stations, grounds, shops, buildings, pumps and all other property, real and personal, exclusively used in the operation of such the pipeline. In assessing any pipeline company and its equipment, the Department of Revenue shall take into consideration the gross earnings and the net earnings for the entire property, and per mile, for the year ending December thirty-first preceding, and any and all other matters necessary to enable the department to make a just and equitable assessment of pipeline property.

Section 10. That § 10-37-9.1 be amended to read as follows:

10-37-9.1. For the purpose of determining the true and full fair market value of the property of any pipeline company, the Department of Revenue shall take into consideration the cost approach, the market approach, and the income approach to appraisal. In the market approach, the department shall consider the actual or market value of the shares of stock outstanding, the actual or market value of all bonds outstanding, and all other indebtedness as shall may be applicable for operating the company. In the income approach, the department may consider the company's growth rate and the rate of inflation in determining the capitalization rate. The Department of Revenue may take into consideration any other information or data of any kind or nature which the department may deem material in arriving at the true and full fair market

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- 2 Section 11. That § 10-38-1 be amended to read as follows:
- 3 10-38-1. All utilities assessed by the Department of Revenue shall be given have an 4 opportunity for a hearing before said the department during the months of June and July, which 5 hearings shall be for the purpose of determining the true and full fair market value of such the 6 utilities or in of obtaining additional information or in of making corrections on the reports of 7 utilities as previously submitted. The hearings prescribed by this section shall be held upon ten 8 days' notice to the utility concerned and subsequent to such the hearing the Department of 9 Revenue shall notify the company, in writing, of the amount of its taxable gross receipts or true 10 and full fair market value for the year.
- 11 Section 12. That § 10-38-14 be amended to read as follows:
 - 10-38-14. If any tax assessment or tax assessed or levied originally and directly by the Department of Revenue is or has been adjudged illegal and nonenforceable, or set aside by any court of competent jurisdiction, the secretary of revenue, whether any part of the taxes assessed or levied has been paid or not, shall forthwith reascertain and redetermine the full and true fair market value of all the taxable property of such person or company the utility.
 - Section 13. As used in this Act, the term, fair market value, means the price in money that property will bring in a competitive and open market under all conditions requisite to a fair sale between a willing buyer and a willing seller, each acting prudently and with full knowledge of the relevant facts, and assuming the price is not affected by any undue stimulus.

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1 **BILL HISTORY**

- 2 January 14 First read in House and referred to Taxation. H.J. 23
- 3 January 21 Deferred to another day.
- 4 January 23 Scheduled for hearing.
- 5 January 28 Scheduled for hearing.
- 6 January 28 Passed as amended, AYES 12, NAYS 1. H.J. 165